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In re Application of:)
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Application No.: 08/816,011) Group Art Unit: 1646
Filed: March 11, 1997) Examiner: M. PAK
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Sir:

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Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the
Office Action of October 1, 2002. A fee of \$930.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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